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Federal Facility and Site Clean Up Branch, SFD-8

Hot Issues

## What's Happening

McClellan AFB: In a turnaround, the Air Force now suggests it will agree to soil cleanup levels considered by us and the

State as safe for unrestricted use. Previously, the Air Force was planning for the initial remedial ROD to contain less stringent standards and institutional controls, which may have generated a dispute. The Air Force changed its position after a detailed cost analysis showed that cleanup to unrestricted use would be much less expensive than partial cleanup followed by ICs.

March AFB: The Air Force notified us that they have discovered a weapons waste burial site that may have received radioactive waste. This site was used in the late 1950's for limited maintenance of B-52 nuclear bombs. There may be uranium waste buried in trenches within the site. This site has already been transferred to the reuse authority; however, the site has not been developed yet and currently serves as endangered species habitat. The site is undisturbed and fenced and there is no immediate health threat. The Air Force has developed a fact sheet and will be issuing a press release in the next few days. They have the funding and a contractor in place to start investigating the area for possible radioactive contamination.

Phoenix Goodyear Airport South: EPA and the Arizona Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) met with Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co. (GTRC) and their contractors and the representative of owners of property located over the contaminated groundwater plume (TCE, chromium) at Phoenix Goodyear Airport South (PGA-S). The property owners are planning not to renew an access agreement with GTRC and are discussing denying GTRC access altogether. Although we and the State reiterated the need for access to the four monitoring wells on the property, the property owners resisted. We are evaluating our next steps.

**Hunters Point Shipyard:** Steve Dean and two contractors conducted radiation surveys at the site last week. As a result of the surveys, we have concluded that there is no radiological threat due to the burning 56 years ago of fuel oil contaminated with trace amounts of plutonium, cesium 137 and strontium 90 in two onsite power plants.

## **Future Events**

## **People News**

**New Section Chief:** John Chesnutt was selected as the Section Chief of Federal Facilities Section 2, replacing Rich Seraydarian while he is on detail to the homeland security effort. Congratulations to John!

**New staff:** Matthew Jefferson joined the Private Sites/DOE Section as an RPM last week. Matt is a recent graduate from University of California at Davis where he received an MS in environmental engineering. Matt will be assisting on the Tucson International Airport site and the Indian Bend Wash sites while Eugenia Chow and Melissa Pennington are on maternity leave.

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